

**IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE MIDDLE DISTRICT OF GEORGIA
COLUMBUS DIVISION**

JAMES EDWARD BROGDON, JR., et al.,

Plaintiffs,

vs.

FORD MOTOR COMPANY,

Defendant.

Case No. 4:23-cv-00088-CDL

**DEFENDANT FORD MOTOR COMPANY'S NOTICE
IN CONNECTION WITH MEDIATION**

Now comes Ford Motor Company and, in connection with the text entry at Doc. 377, informs the Court that the parties held a mediation with Judge Coogler on May 29, 2025 in Atlanta. The mediation was unsuccessful in resolving the case. Ford respectfully requests that the Court resume its consideration of the pending Motion for Judgment as a Matter of Law [Doc. 380] and Motion for New Trial [Doc.381].

With respect to the issue of jurors improperly considering extraneous prejudicial information, Ford renews its request that the Court investigate that matter. Ford seeks guidance from the Court as to whether the Court would like Ford to file under seal or otherwise provide to the Court the recordings of post-trial juror interviews referenced in Mr. Peeler's declaration [Doc. 381-1] and Mr. Hyde's declaration [Doc. 381-2]. Said interviews include certain information that may be inadmissible under Federal Rule of Evidence 606(b)(1) and certain information that would be admissible within the exceptions at Federal Rule of Evidence 606(b)(2).

Respectfully submitted this 16th day of June, 2025.

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that I electronically filed the foregoing with the Clerk of the Court using the CM/ECF system which will automatically send email notification of such filing to the attorneys of record.

This 16th day of June, 2025.

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